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CIA Head Says 'No Evidence' Reds Ahead of Us in Missiles

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Washington — The nation's intelligence chief believes the Russians have made a lot of progress in developing the Intercontinental Ballistic Missile but has no evidence they are ahead of us.

Director Allen W. Dulles of the Central Intelligence Agency disagreed with senate Democrats who have charged that the administration has permitted the Soviets to forge

ahead of this country in the ICBM field.

Dulles was interviewed Sunday over three New York television stations by Rep. Harold C. Osterlag (R-N.Y.).

In another field, development of atomic energy to create electric power, Dulles said he feels "quite sure" the Soviets "are not ahead of us."

Turning to recent attacks on Josef Stalin by current So-

viet leaders, Dulles said he believes the Kremlin is trying to persuade the "befuddled" Russian people that "they are doing away with tyranny." But, he said, Russia still is dominated "by a bunch of tyrants."

Russian leaders still "want to take over the free world," he said. "They think the softer line may get them further than the hard, rigid line of Stalin."